THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (DR. DASARI NARAYAN RAO): (a) Keeping in view the increasing demand in the country, Coal India Limited (CIL) has recast its production plan by enhancing the coal production target to 508 million tonnes in 2011-12 i.e. the terminal year of XI Plan, which includes an incremental coal production of 63 million tonnes over earlier projection.

(b) and (c) Yes, Sir.

(d) and (e) It is expected that CIL's enhanced production target for 2006-07 by 13 million tonnes compared to earlier projection of 350 million tonnes would help in augmenting indigenous supply, particularly to the power sector.

Development of coal blocks by SECL

3137. SHRI B.J. PANDA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the South Eastern Coalfields Limited (SECL) propose to develop 26 virgin coal block;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) how far this would enhance the production capacity of the SECL and help to bridge the gap between demand and supply?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (DR. DASARI NARAYAN RAO): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The names of blocks which are proposed to developed by South Eastern Coalfields (SECL) is given in the Statement (*See* below).

(c) Development of these blocks is expected to enhance production of coal by 9 million tonne per year by the end of 2011-12.

Statement

Coal Blocks Proposed to be Developed by SECL

Coalfields	Sl. No.	Block
UMARIA	1	Umaria North
SOHAGPUR	2.	Bokaho
	3.	Changero OC

Coalfields	Sl. No.	Block
	4.	Jawahi/Saba
	5.	Bodri/Bodri (North)
	6.	Patra
	7.	Bartara
	8.	Mithur
	9.	Kalamna
	10.	Dhanpura
	11.	Batura
	12.	Kewai
	13.	Manpura
	14.	Behrabandi (West)
	15.	Pakaria
	16.	Kanchanpur
SONHAT	17.	Nagar
KORBA	18.	Kesta North
	19.	Takurkheta
	20.	South Phulakdih nala
	21.	Devnara
	22.	Manikpur East
	23.	Manikpur South
MAND-RAIGARH	24	Chimtapani
	25	Tilaipali
	26.	Pelma